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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the document that is discussed below and a copy of which is attached, which the Examiner may deem material to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

In compliance with the concise explanation requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) for foreign language documents, Applicants submit the following explanations. In the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 3, 2005, four foreign language documents were listed on the PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) form. Applicants now enclose an English translation of a Notification of Transmittal of Translation of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability for PCT/JP2004/004481 (dated March 2, 2006), which includes the International

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Preliminary Report on Patentability with a Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority. The International Preliminary Report with its Written Opinion comprises a further concise statement of relevance with respect to the four foreign language documents that were listed in PTO/SB/08 A&B (modified) form filed with the Information Disclosure Statement of October 3, 2005.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed: (1) No later than three months from the application's filing date; (2) Before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits (whichever is later); or (3) Before the mailing date of the first Office Action after filing a request for continued examination (RCE) under §1.114, and therefore, no Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) or fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is required.

The submission of the listed documents is not intended as an admission that any such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application. Applicant does not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the present application.

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